## **News Release**



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## TOWN AND CHAMBER SET DATE FOR STATE OF THE TOWN

Working together to strengthen the partnership between the Town of Hanover and its vital business community, the Town and the Hanover Chamber of Commerce have jointly announced the scheduling of the 2015 "State of the Town" address.

The address will be held at the Hanover Town Hall on Thursday, February 12<sup>th</sup>, 2015, at 7:30 A.M. A breakfast will include an update on town affairs by Chairman of the Board of Selectmen Harold Dunn and Town Manager Troy Clarkson. Representatives from the Hanover School Department will attend with an update on School activities. State and Regional elected officials will also continue their tradition of updating the public on legislative issues. Chamber representatives will also provide an update on the business environment in town.

"As the new Chamber President, I'm thrilled to be a part of this cooperative effort to engage our community," said Chamber President Patrick Kelleher. "Our cooperative working relationship with town government is fostered by our annual state of the town meeting at which chamber members as well as the Hanover community will have an opportunity to engage in face-to-face discussions with town officials, ensuring progress for Hanover," he continued.

One of the primary ongoing goals for the Board of Selectmen is to strengthen the town's partnership with the business community. This effort includes investigating a potential sewer project along Route 53, and conducting active outreach to the business served by the town.

Department Heads will also be on hand to answer questions and engage with the public in attendance.

Cost of the breakfast is \$10.00. Those interested in attending should RSVP to Ann Lee, 781-826-5000.